



Technical Training

More classes in more locations to better meet your needs

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Recent changes to our technical training courses make our classes an even better value. Our courses are more results-oriented than any other machinery monitoring or diagnostic course. Students learn to perform specific tasks in a series of concise lessons taught by highly qualified instructors with years of field experience. Each course is divided into easily understood modules. Each module explains a topic in clear, simple language. The result is that students are able to return to their facilities knowing skills that can be immediately applied.

Courses are limited in size to encourage group interaction and provide individual attention.

Classes are immediately followed by hands-on practice in workshops. Students demonstrate what they have just learned in small groups of two to four, under the close supervision of our field-experienced instructors. Lab stations feature a wide range of state-of-the-art, permanently-installed monitoring and diagnostic equipment.

The latest multimedia equipment, including LCD systems, is used to present innovative computerized presentations, animations and videos. These techniques capture a student's interest and make complex ideas easier to understand.

Training tailored to your facility

Bently Nevada can provide training to much smaller groups than we could when courses were held at hotels. We can also customize training for the specific needs of your personnel.

Courses can be conducted at your

facility or one of our twenty-one worldwide Training Centers to help reduce your travel costs. Current locations are:

Sydney, Australia
São Paulo, Brazil
Nisku, Canada
Beijing, People's Republic of China
Nantes, France
Frankfurt, Federal Republic of Germany
New Delhi, India
Jakarta, Indonesia
Tokyo, Japan
Seoul, Korea
Naucalpan, Mexico
Pijnacker, The Netherlands
Dammam, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
Johannesburg, Republic of South Africa
Singapore
Rayong, Thailand
Warrington, United Kingdom
Minden, Nevada, United States
Houston, Texas, United States
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States
Maracaibo, Venezuela

Although we announce a schedule of training courses for each Training Center, we have the flexibility to add courses to fit your schedule.

Remote access capability

Computers at the Training Centers are networked, so you can send data from the data acquisition computer to display terminals, just as you would at your plant. If your Trendmaster® 2000 or Data Manager® 2000 System is already set up and running, we can remotely access your facility's machine data, so your personnel can work with data from their own machine trains.

New product courses have also been added, as part of a complete Machinery Management Program:

- Getting the Most from ADRE® for Windows
- Getting the Most from Data Manager® 2000 for Windows
- Getting the Most from Trendmaster® 2000 for Windows

For more information on current training classes, contact your nearest sales representative. ■

Training tailored to customer needs

Polish language courses

Twenty-two Bently Nevada customers from Polish petrochemical, power generation and paper industries were in Minden, Nevada in February 1997 for two five-day technical courses. The two courses, Machinery Diagnostics and Applied Diagnostics, were conducted in Polish and English.

A large portion was presented in Polish by Agnes Muszynska, Sr. Research Scientist at Bently Rotor Dynamics Research Corporation. The remaining portion was presented by Don Bently, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Bently Nevada Corporation, and other Bently Nevada engineers. This part was translated into Polish by Ryszard Nowicki, Bently Nevada sales representative, Poland, and Szymon Janicki, Product Service representative, Poland.

Quick response time

The Tennessee Valley Authority's Sequoyah Nuclear Power Station recently requested that a training seminar be arranged at their facility within a week's time. Despite the short notice, our Machinery Diagnostics Training Department was able to brief instructors, make travel arrangements and ship all the equipment needed to conduct a workshop.

Machinery Diagnostics and Applied Diagnostic courses were held at the customer's site at the designated time, followed by hands-on workshops to reinforce each participant's learning. By the end of the training session, students were able to discuss their own machine problems using the new diagnostics methodology they had learned. ■